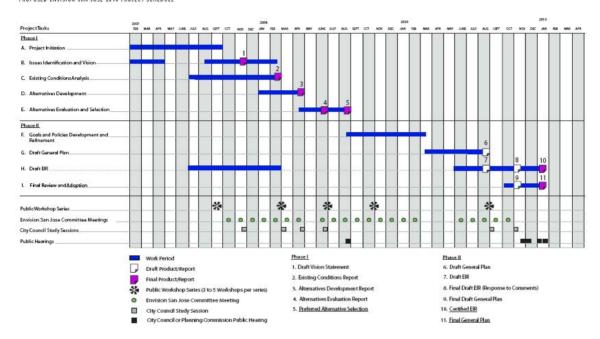
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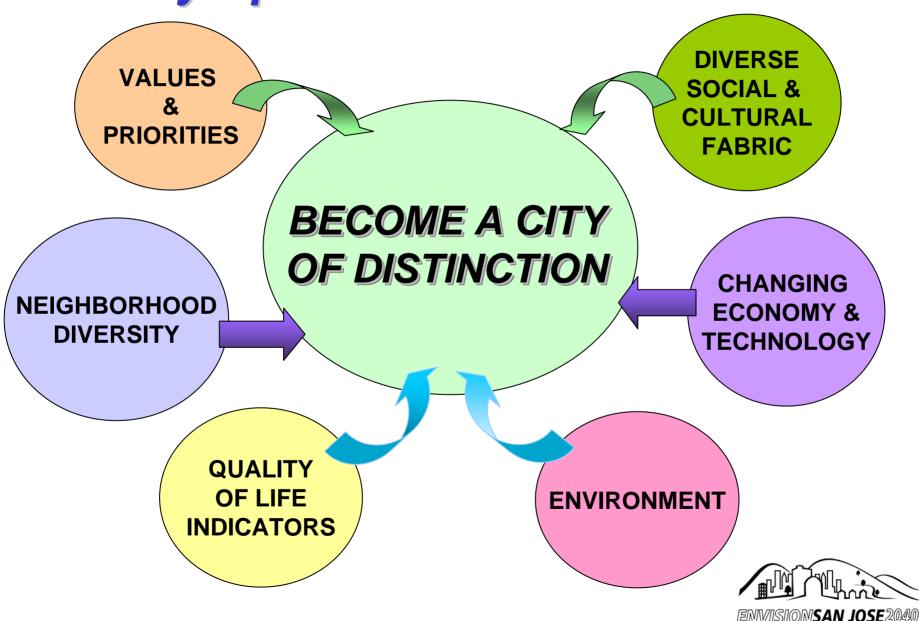




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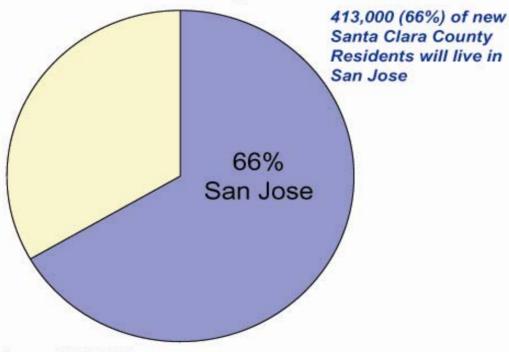


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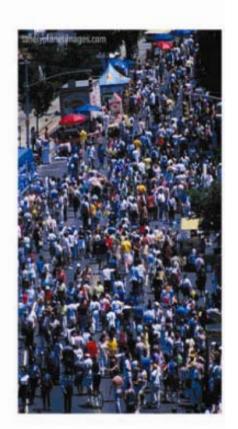


Projected Population Growth

620,000 new residents in Santa Clara County



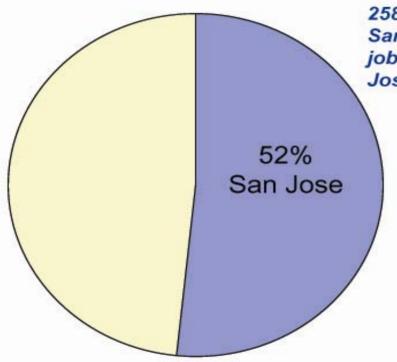






Projected Job Growth

500,000 New Jobs in Santa Clara County



258,000 (52%) of new Santa Clara County jobs will locate in San Jose





Engage all aspects of San Jose throughout the entire process







Identify Key Issues

















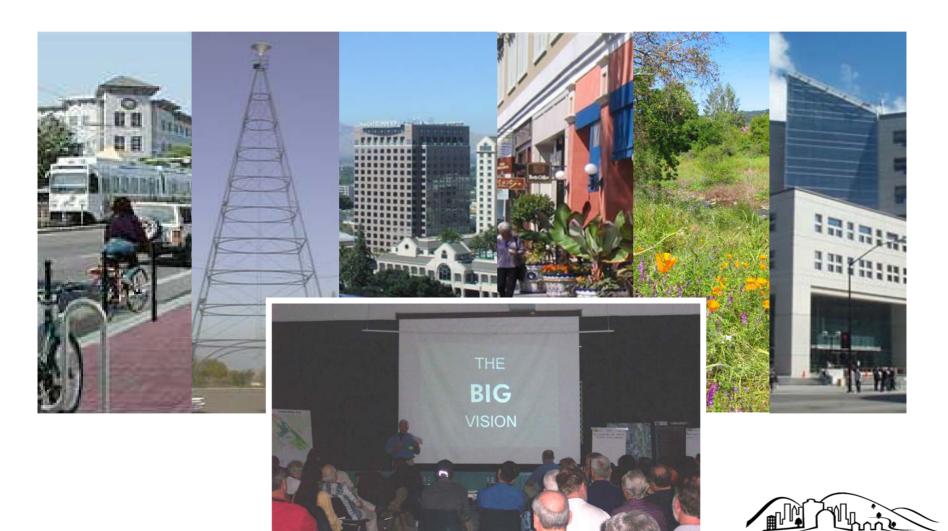
Data Gathering & Assessment

- Demographic Trends
- Economic Forecasts
- Facility Needs
- Service Demands



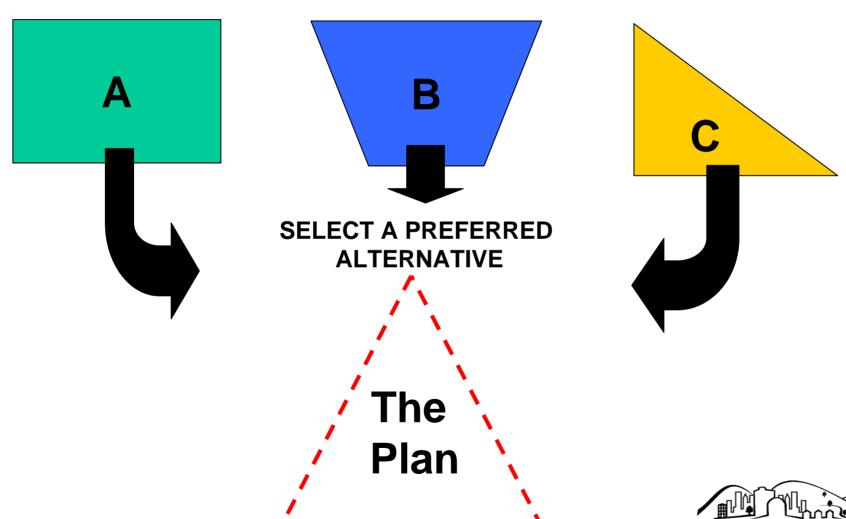


Formulate a Vision Based on Values



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Identify & Analyze Alternative Futures





Expected Outcomes of a General Plan Update

- A world class General Plan that will guide San Jose's future
- A clear vision and process that:
 - Unifies the community
 - Acknowledges and celebrates our diverse neighborhoods





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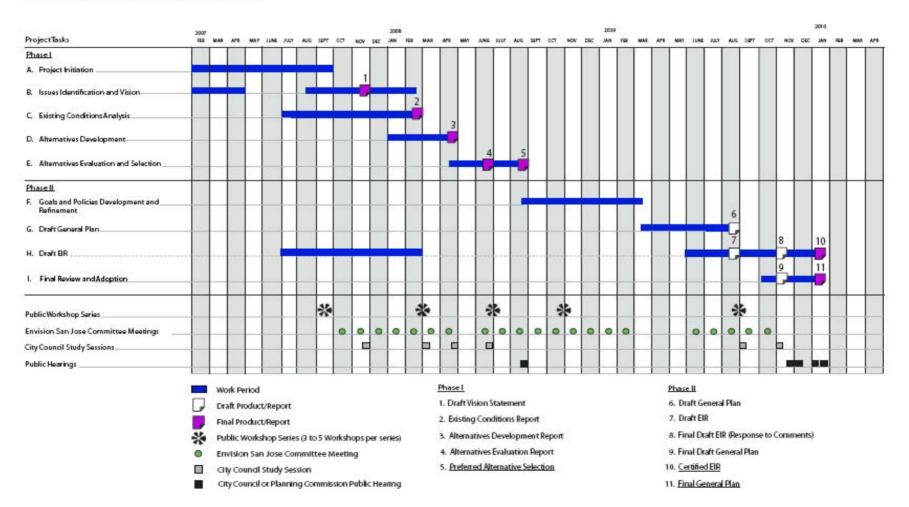
- A plan to direct capital investments and service delivery
- A means to track and evaluate achievements/ deviations from the plan





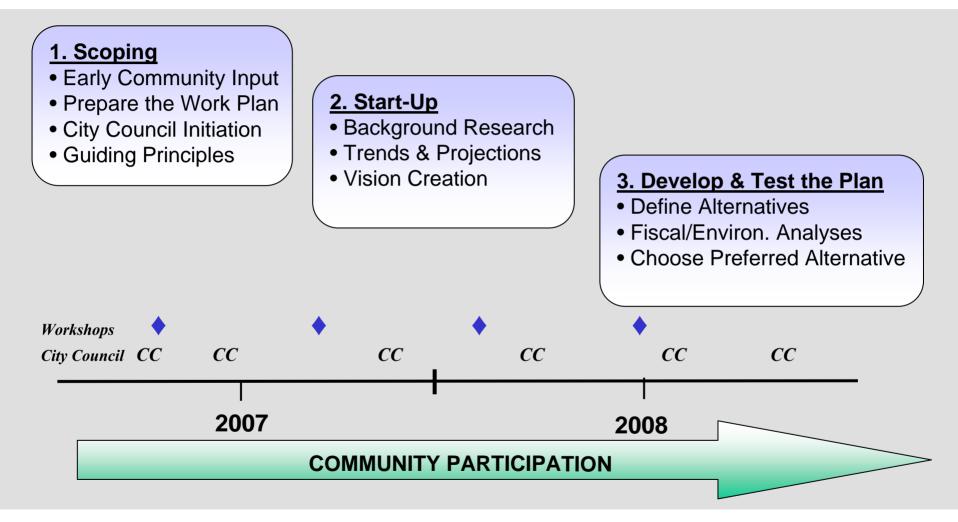
Work Program

PROPOSED ENVISION SAN JOSE 2040 PROJECT SCHEDULE





Work Program Phase 1 Summary





Early Community Outreach

- 26 meetings held
- Over 350 people attended
- Citywide distribution
- Overview video
- Web Page





Early Community Outreach

- 11 SNI-Neighborhood Advisory Committees
- 4 Community Meetings
- 4 City Commissions
- 5 Other Groups
- 2 Future Meetings



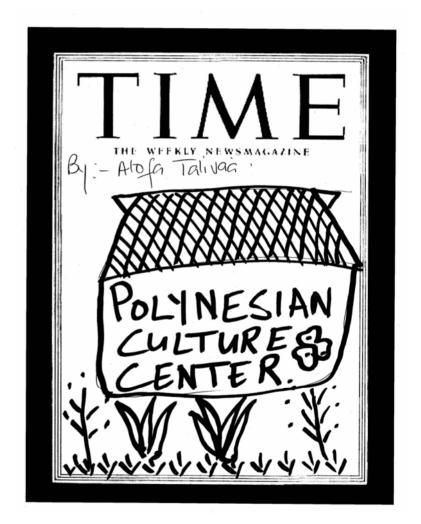


Early Community Outreach

- What's your vision of San Jose as "City of the Year" in 2040?
- Three discussion questions:
 - 1. What do you like about living-in, working-in and visiting San Jose?
 - 2. How would you like to see San Jose change in the next 20 30 years?
 - 3. What kind of Community Outreach and communication is most useful/effective?







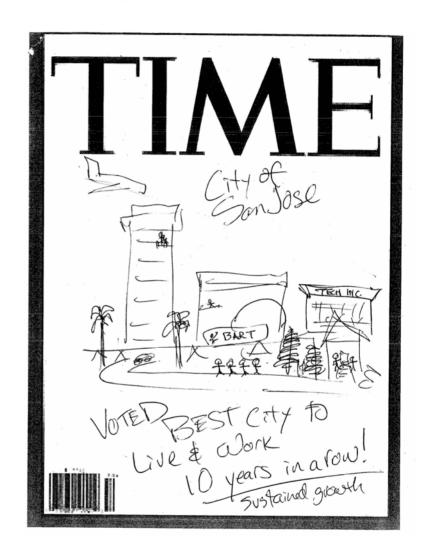




















Early Community Outreach Summary of Values Expressed

- Cultural diversity celebration
- Vibrant, walkable Downtown offering arts, entertainment, restaurants, plus housing & jobs
- Community safety
- Neighborhood diversity, commitment & involvement
- Expanding inclusiveness of community in government
- Nature in the urban environment: riparian areas, hillsides, urban forest
- Good place to raise a family: schools, parks



Early Community Outreach Summary of Values Expressed

- Growing importance of sustainability: Green Building, energy conservation, greenhouse gasses, recycling
- High quality City services
- Continue affordable housing construction
- Continue expansion of parks system
- Continue transit-oriented development
- Continue economic development: jobs & revenue



Guiding Principles

- ➤ **Economic Development** Maximize the economic and revenue potential of the City's land resources and employment opportunities.
- ➤ **Growth Management** Focus growth within the existing urban area to manage the delivery of City services within budget constraints.
- ➤ **Downtown Revitalization** Invigorate Downtown as San Jose's cultural center with a mix of housing, employment, convention and visitor amenities, San Jose State University, museums, parks, etc.
- ➤ **Urban Conservation/Preservation** Protect and enhance San Jose's neighborhoods and historic resources to promote community identity and pride.



Guiding Principles

- ➤ **Greenline/Urban Growth Boundary** Preserve land that protects water, habitat, and agricultural resources and/or offers recreational opportunities, as well as to preserve the scenic backdrop of the hillsides surrounding San Jose.
- ➤ **Housing** Preserve a variety of housing opportunities to meet the needs of all household types and income levels within the community.
- ➤ Sustainable City Manage, conserve and preserve natural resources for present and future generations. Identify opportunities to enhance the City's sustainability policies through implementation of the Urban Environmental Accords.
- ➤ Social Equity Cultivate ethnic, cultural and socio-economic diversity and equity in the planning for all public facilities and services to protect and enhance the quality of life for all San Jose residents.



Community Participation Opportunities

- Learn about the process and participation options
- Provide input on the process, content, and direction through:
 - Public Workshops
 - Envision San José 2040 website
 - E-mail input
 - Future survey





Community Outreach Strategies

- Newspapers, Radio and Television
 - Advertisements
 - News stories
 - English and non-English media
- Outreach through the Strong Neighborhoods Initiative and United Neighborhoods
- Outreach through existing community, nonprofit, education, business organizations, etc.

